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Filing Date **July 9, 2001**
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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	790	2204	395	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
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2063	130	2063	130	Non-English specification	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
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1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,690	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Collins

Examiner: Chen, Wenpeng

Art Group: 2624

Application No.: 09/902,515

Filed: July 9, 2001

For: System and Method for Compressing
Data Using Field-Based Code Word
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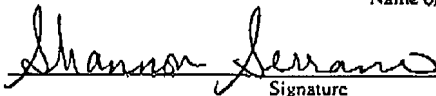
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